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General Notes and Notices.

The publishers of the *Expository Times*, Messrs. T. and T. Clark of Edinburgh announce that with the October issue of that promising and useful biblical journal, it will be enlarged to double its present size and the price from that month will be sixpence or by annual subscription six shillings. All students of the Bible will be pleased to learn that such success has attended this comparatively new journal as to warrant this enlargement.

It is announced that Bishop Warren of the Methodist Episcopal church has recently given a large sum to begin the endowment of a Professorship of the Bible in the University of Denver. It is hoped that this generous and wise movement will be heartily seconded by the friends of that institution and the whole amount be speedily contributed. The *Christian Advocate* says in this connection "Every Christian institution should have a Professorship of the Bible, and in denominational institutions it should not be one of the electives, but should be made as interesting as if it were an elective dependent on the taste of students for attendance."

Among the more recent appointments in addition to those already chronicled in the STUDENT are the following. The Rev. S. B. Turrentine has been elected as Instructor in Hebrew and New Testament Greek in Trinity College, Durham, N. C. The Board of Curators of Central University, Ky. have chosen the Rev. T. D. Witherspoon, D. D., of Louisville to the McBrayer Professorship of the Bible and Christian Evidences.

The work of the Summer Schools of the year has closed and the character and scope of the Biblical instruction imparted has been higher and broader than ever before, while the numbers of students, if reports are to be credited, have been correspondingly large. Among other excellent courses offered the syllabus of that given by Rev. C. M. Heard of Minneapolis at the Waseca Chautauqua Assembly, on the Gospel of John, contains much interesting material and shows evidence of real work.

At the Bay View Michigan Assembly the biblical courses were in charge of the Rev. Prof. M. S. Terry, D. D., who offered four courses as follows: (1) Eighteen lectures on the study of the English Bible, (2) Exposition of some of the Minor Prophets, (3) Exposition of the Epistle to the Hebrews, (4) Exposition of the Apocalypse of John. Among the new helps for study at this school is the Cobern collection of Oriental Antiquities named after the Rev. C. W. Cobern the Egyptological student. Statues of the three Egyptian Kings memorable in Hebrew history, casts of the Black Obelisk of Shalmaneser, of the Siloam inscription and the Chaldæan deluge tablet as well as other Egyptian and Assyrian antiquities are contained in it. Such a collection will continue to be very useful in arousing a living interest in Bible study among those who come yearly to this place for instruction and recreation.